

CHINESE READY TO RISE

Fears of a Rebellion in the Southern Provinces.

Regular Troops Unable to Maintain Order in Kwangsi—Anti-Christian Rioting in the Canton District. Several Missions Already Destroyed—Foreigners in an Unsafe Position—General Revolt Said to Be Imminent—Ten-Year-Old Boxer Wave in the Flag—Text of M. Delcasse's Note to the Powers Made Public—Russia to Urge Approval.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—There is every prospect that before the allies take the preliminary steps for peace negotiations in China, the armed forces of the powers will be called upon to suppress another series of disorders. Conditions in Southern China are most threatening, and an outbreak is imminent.

A news agency despatch from Hongkong says that the southern part of the Empire is in a state of great excitement. The Boxer spirit seems to have been revived by the apparent procrastination of the powers, and the high officials here would not be surprised to receive tidings of further outbreaks against foreigners at any time.

A rebellion is threatened in Kwangsi. In this locality the Chinese regular troops have found themselves unable to maintain order and the revolutionary element, encouraged by the weakness of the Imperial forces, is likely to take the field at any moment.

In the Canton district there has already been anti-Christian rioting and several of the missions have been destroyed by crowds of Boxers and Boxer sympathizers. The general position of the foreigners in Southern China is unsafe and the feeling of alarm is spreading, for an outbreak is likely to come without warning.

A despatch from Shanghai, dated October 4, 11 p. m., says: "It is learned here that the Imperial officers of which Prince Tuan was recently deprived have been given to two Manchus. The tendency of recent appointments has been to promote liberal men, replacing the anti-foreign conservatives."

The Pekin correspondent of the "Daily News" in a despatch, dated September 26, tells a peculiar incident of the German-Japanese expedition to Seiyun. The advance guard of the expedition saw a Boxer, who was partly concealed by a mound of earth, persistently waving a red flag. The fire of the troops was concentrated on this spot, and presently the flag went down.

On arriving at the mound, the troops found the body of a Chinese boy. He was hardly ten years of age, was dressed in a new Boxer uniform, and wore a toy sword. He had fallen dead upon the flag which he had ceased to wave only with his last breath. The correspondent describes this as a "remarkable evidence of the shocking fanaticism of the Boxers."

A despatch from Paris says: "The text of the note of M. Delcasse to the powers, the essence of which was made public in Vienna on Monday last, was given to the press this afternoon."

"The Russian diplomatic representatives have been instructed to advocate its acceptance by the powers to which they are respectively accredited."

AMERICAN TROOPS IN PEKIN.

Withdrawal Orders Received by the Marine Corps Men.

PEKIN, Sept. 30.—(Via Tientsin, Oct. 2 and Shanghai, Oct. 5).—The United States Marine Corps has been ordered to proceed to Manila. The Fourteenth Infantry will follow them shortly.

The Ninth Squadron of the Sixth Cavalry and a battery of the Fifth Artillery will winter in Pekin. Supplies for 2,000 men have been ordered from Tientsin.

General Wilson will review the American troops on Tuesday.

It is rumored that Japan will leave a force of 3,000 in Pekin.

REHABILITATION OF PEKIN.

Work Progressing in the Districts Governed by Americans.

PEKIN, Oct. 1.—(Via Tientsin, Oct. 4 and Shanghai, Oct. 5).—A contingent of 8,000 Germans is expected to arrive here from Tientsin. It is reported that Field Marshal Count von Waldersee will remain in Tientsin pending the completion of the railroad which the Germans are to assist in repairing.

General Chaffee is to return here on Wednesday to participate in the review of the allied troops.

The rehabilitation of the city is progressing best in the district governed by the Americans. The marshals report that the houses in the American section are again fully occupied, the shops are doing a fine business and many people are immigrating from the other districts.

CHINA'S NEW CAPITAL.

The Site May Be Permanently Fixed at Singan-fu.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 5.—The decision to remove the Chinese capital to Singan-fu, according to one report, was reached on the advice of Li-Chwan-Ling, who was recently appointed a Grand Councilor and who has assumed important functions in the north. Later reports say that edicts have been issued which indicate that the change of capitals is intended to be permanent.

A FATAL FRENCH DUEL.

The Challenger Killed by a Sword Thrust Through the Lungs.

PARIS, Oct. 5.—A duel with swords was fought yesterday between M. Marlier, a member of the municipal council of Bar-le-due, department of Meuz, and M. Perrotti, a deputy from that department. M. Marlier was killed by a sword thrust through the lungs. He was the challenger.

Tickets on sale Saturday and Sunday, October 6 and 7, good to return until Monday, October 8. All trains except Congressional Limited.

Lumber prices still lower at the Friendly Corner, 6th and N. Y. Ave. F. Libbey & Co.

18K KWANG HSU'S RETURN.

Minister Wu Ting-fang Called at the State Department today to Give Secretary Hay some official information.

Minister Wu Ting-fang called at the State Department today to give Secretary Hay some official information. It was to the effect that a petition had been sent to Emperor Kwang Hsu by the Chinese ministers in each of the foreign capitals, asking their sovereign to return to Peking at once that negotiations may begin under a form of Government. The Emperor is assured the protection of the United States and is guaranteed that he will not be molested or imprisoned.

It is thought that he will respond favorably to the request and in the event of his return to the capital, it is thought that the negotiations will take place in Tientsin.

The French note presented yesterday to the State Department has been transmitted to President McKinley, with suggestions by the Secretary of State as to the character of the American answer.

Russians through the Embassy here have signified their acquiescence in the French proposals, and that fact will render necessary a response to both nations by this Government.

So far no intimation has been given by Government officials of dissatisfaction with any portion of the French programme, except that relating to the permanent prohibition of the importation of arms and ammunition into China.

REVENUE CUTTER AGROUND.

The Viking, Carrying Governor General Wood, Stranded on a Reef.

HAVANA, Oct. 5.—The revenue cutter Viking, on which Governor General Wood, Secretary of Agriculture Lacombe, Superintendent of Schools Fry, and Lieutenant Carpenter are passengers, ran aground on Tuesday at a point sixty miles from Havana.

The Viking was bound for Tunas de Zaza in the Province of Santa Clara, from which place the Governor General and his party were going to Sancti Spiritus. The vessel is aground on a reef called Los Flamencos.

The news was brought here by a fishing boat and a coasting steamer was at once despatched to haul the Viking off.

WHY ALL FERROUH BEY LEFT.

America Suggested His Recall to the Sultan.

It now appears that the action of the Sultan of Turkey in deciding to withdraw all Ferrouh Bey, his minister of war, was brought about by the request of the American Government. The persistent refusal of the Porte to pay the Armenian claims of \$100,000 presented by this country has strained relations considerably.

This Government has not sent a minister to Constantinople since the return of Oscar Straus, and it is reasonably certain that none will be sent, so long as the Sultan continues in his present attitude. It is understood that the American Charge to Turkey, Mr. Griscom, suggested to the Sultan the advisability of withdrawing all Ferrouh Bey pending a settlement of the question, and at that advice the Porte recently announced his purpose of recalling Ferrouh Bey.

Sheikh Bey, who is now in Constantinople, will be sent here as Charge. His arrival, however, will be a matter of slight importance, as the State Department is not expected to send a minister to Constantinople until the Turkish Legation has had it not been for the Chinese embargo the Government would have probably taken active measures to secure a settlement of the claims.

UPRISING IN MARINDUQUE.

General MacArthur Sends a Force to Suppress It.

General MacArthur yesterday forwarded the following despatch to the War Department, stating that forces had been sent to Marinduque to suppress an uprising there, during which Captain Shields and part of Company F, Twenty-ninth Infantry, were reported to have been captured:

"Manila, Oct. 4. 'Adjutant General, Washington: First Infantry to Marinduque, October 6, 8, on general orders. The island to command island with orders to suppress operations until insurrection is stamped out absolutely. He will have twelve companies of Infantry for the purpose. Anderson's first operations developed nothing. No reports since October 2. MACARTHUR.'"

REPORT ON CAPE NOME.

Better Results From Creeks Than From the Beach.

Cable Whitehead, Assessor of the Mint, who has been investigating conditions at Cape Nome, has reported by mail to Director Roberts of the Mint. He estimates that the beach has produced from \$250,000 to \$300,000, but has been twice combed over and is thoroughly worked out.

On the creeks better results have been obtained than from the beach. Anvyl Creek has produced about \$75,000. Dexter Creek promises well, but owing to drought is not yet producing much. Topok, sixty miles east of Nome, has produced over half a million in a small area.

Reports from Bluestone River in the Port of Clatsop, Oct. 5, show that the richest spots are the richest strikes yet made. The ancient channels at the head of Dexter and Anvyl creeks are attracting much attention, and are believed to be the source of the gold in the district. If this be true, he says, they should yield millions.

CASUALTIES IN PHILIPPINES.

Report of Deaths and Wounds Received From MacArthur.

Adjutant General Corbin yesterday received the following list of casualties in the Philippines:

Manila, Oct. 4.

Adjutant General, Washington:

Reports having died in mountains Laguna province after escape from insurgents, date unknown, Hospital Corps, Alexander, Medico, Edward P. Sixton; Company K, Thirty-seventh Volunteer U. S. Army, Oat, Sergeant; Company K, Thirtieth Volunteer U. S. Army, Vol. Infantry, John W. Kenney.

Wounded, September 25, November 1, 1900, Company I, Twenty-seventh Volunteer Infantry, Otto Die, wounded in leg above knee, slight; Second Lieut. Matthew T. E. W., side, slight; Sept. 26, Castillejos, Luzon, Company K, Twenty-ninth Infantry, James L. Carrick, moderately; August 18, Helogues, Luzon, Company F, Twenty-fourth Volunteer Infantry, First Sergeant Charles W. Dugan, chest, serious; September 14, Dugan, Pampanga, Company K, Eighteenth Cavalry, Frank A. Arado, wounded in knee, serious; Frederick W. Bender, wounded in arm, serious. MACARTHUR.

Lawyer Killed by His Father-in-Law.

WHEELING, W. Va., Oct. 5.—M. E. Dryden, one of the most brilliant lawyers of Wheeling, was shot and killed by Thomas Workman, his father-in-law, for choking Mrs. Dryden today.

Flynn's Business College, 8th and K. Business, Shortland, Typewriting—\$25 a year.

New carloads flooring, only \$1.50 per 100 ft., all one width, one length, at 6th and N. Y. Ave.

BOERS MOVE NORTHWARD

The Burghers Determined to Resist as Long as Possible.

General Botha Suffering From an Attack of Quinsy, and Viljoen Temporarily in Command—Retz and His Three Sons Fighting in the Ranks—Mrs. Kruger Seriously Ill.

PRETORIA, Oct. 4.—(5 p. m.).—Definite information has been received here to the effect that when President Kruger crossed the border into Portuguese territory, the leaders he left behind him held a meeting at Hectorspruit and resolved to take all the most mounted men and go north with the lighter guns. The intention is to work around Pietersburg.

General Botha is not seriously ill. He is suffering from a mild attack of quinsy. Viljoen, the second in command, is temporarily the head of the Boers.

State Secretary Retz and his three sons are now fighting as burghers in Botha's command.

All the Boer leaders recognize that the struggle is useless, but they are obstinately determined not to abandon it until they are compelled to. The poorly mounted burghers have been left behind to work their way to their homes or cross the Portuguese border.

General Botha's force of about 1,500 men has gone north.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—A Pretoria despatch tells the "Daily Telegraph" that Mrs. Kruger, the wife of the President of the Transvaal, is so ill that the authorities have issued an order forbidding the drivers of vehicles to pass the house except at a walking gait.

General Roberts reports to the War Office, under date of Pretoria, October 4, that a force under General Clements had surprised a Boer convoy near Rustenburg, capturing twenty-nine wagons, some rifles, and 10,000 rounds of ammunition. The British casualty was one wounded.

General Roberts adds that the casualties at DeJagers Drift on October 1, were not as serious as at first reported, only seven having been wounded.

SPAIN'S NEW CONSUL GENERAL.

Senor Torreja Arrives in the Cuban Capital.

HAVANA, Oct. 5.—Senor Torreja, the new Consul General of Spain to Cuba and Porto Rico, arrived here yesterday. In commenting on this, the "Diario de La Marina" says the conditions in Cuba are now much better than when ex-Consul General Sagrario arrived here after the war. The paper says, however, that the passions of all parties.

MUTILATED BODY IDENTIFIED.

Well-Known Buffalo Man Believed to Have Committed Suicide.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 5.—William R. Reiman, of 1175 Tonawanda Street, is the man whose mutilated body was found in the Erie Canal near Tonawanda yesterday. He is thought to have committed suicide, having threatened to do so several times. The propeller of a steam canal boat, no doubt, dismembered the corse.

Reideman was an old and well-known resident of Buffalo and suffered from mental trouble.

ELEVATOR MAN KILLED.

Caught by a Car and Thrown Down a Shaft.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Raymond N. Webb, an elevator man, at work on the top of an elevator at the ninth floor of the Manhattan Life Building, this morning, thrust out his head into the adjoining elevator shaft, six inches away.

At this instant the elevator in the adjoining shaft shot down and caught Webb, dragged him off his iron cage, and throwing him down the narrow pit, killed him.

Webb was dead when his body was reached. His neck had been broken. It is probable when the edge of the elevator struck his head it fractured the bones in his neck.

PRIZE FOR AN AMERICAN.

Machine for Testing Color Blindness Wins a Paris Medal.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 5.—The judges for the Paris Exposition have awarded a first prize gold medal to Prof. E. W. Scripture, head of the psychological department of Yale University.

Scripture went to Paris as an exhibitor from the United States Government a machine for testing color blindness. The machine has proved that all other methods of testing color blindness are fallible and is likely to become the official testing apparatus not only of this Government but of nearly the whole world. It has attracted universal attention in Paris and is proved to be a necessity in the navy, where it properly distinguishes signals is absolutely necessary to an officer.

A DUEL WITH RAZORS.

Two Negro Women Fight to the Death at a Festival.

ARCADIA, Fla., Oct. 5.—At a negro festival near Mount Carmel, four miles from here, two negro women got into a quarrel over an admirer of one of the women. Securing razors, they repaired to a woods nearby and had a duel in the moonlight.

When found hours afterward both women were nearly dead, with hidden, gaping wounds over the breasts, shoulders, arms, and face. One woman had her right arm nearly severed, while the other had her left hand cut off. Both women subsequently died.

Lost His Life While Swimming.

PORT DEPOSIT, Md., Oct. 5.—Late yesterday afternoon Edward Hoyer, a carpenter, lost his life here. Hoyer was employed on the Chesapeake Inn and boarded with G. W. Price. He was a strong swimmer, and was in the habit of going for bathing almost daily since he had been in Port Deposit.

After returning from his work about 5 o'clock he went into the river and swam to Roberts Island, and had almost reached the shore on his return when he cried for help and sank. His cries attracted several persons, but he went down before a boat could be put out for him. A couple of hours' grappling failed to locate the body. Hoyer came here recently from New York city, where his sister is now living, and she here. Hoyer was employed by Thomas Workman, his father-in-law, for choking Mrs. Dryden today.

Trains for Chesapeake Beach.

Leave week days 10:30 a. m. and 2 p. m. Sundays, 10 a. m., 11 a. m., 2 and 4 p. m.

Sund boards, kila dried, \$1.40 per 100 ft., bright and dry, for sheds, fences, etc. F. Libbey & Co.

CHARGES AGAINST FRANCE.

Prince Inkathor, of Cambodia, Appeals for Justice.

PARIS, Oct. 5.—The quarrel between the Government and Prince Inkathor, son of King Norodon, of Cambodia (French Indo-China), is developing a serious phase. The prince recently fled to Brussels under mysterious circumstances and it is stated that France has applied for his extradition on the ground that he took with him the Crown jewels which belong to France as the suzerain of Cambodia. All of the Paris newspapers publish lengthy articles on the affair.

The memorandum of alleged grievances which the prince recently submitted to the Government is published by the "Matin" today. It occupies five columns of that newspaper. Prince Inkathor says that he is directed by his father to complain of the conduct of the French officials in the protectorate. He charges that the suzerainty of France was obtained through violence and treachery.

France has been practically enslaved, the tax collectors are cruel, and the inhabitants have been reduced to poverty by the confiscation of their lands, he says. The royal cemetery has been transformed into a grazing ground, and the native officials are being exiled without trial, and in some cases they have been beheaded.

Prince Inkathor claims that he, himself, was threatened with imprisonment when it became known that he was coming to France. The King and himself have been treated as enemies.

"My father," continues the prince, "is sixty-seven years old, and if he dies I will be justified in saying that he was assassinated." In conclusion, the prince begs the Government to grant him justice.

THE ENGLISH ELECTIONS.

Latest Returns Give Conservatives 252 Parliamentary Seats.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—The results of the Parliamentary elections up to this afternoon give the Conservatives 252 seats, the Liberals 41, the Liberals 74, the Nationalists 53, and the Labor party 3. The Liberals gained the middle district of Northamptonshire, and the Conservatives captured the London City and Westminster constituency. A seat was won by Wilfred Lawson, who had represented the latter constituency since 1896.

ITALIAN PROTEST TO AMERICA.

Complaint Against Excessive Liberty Permitted Anarchists Here.

ROME, Oct. 5.—The Government has decided to forward to the United States Government a protest against the excessive liberty permitted to anarchists in that country.

FIRE IN WOLBECK ABBEY.

The Duke of Portland's Residence Partially Destroyed.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—Wolbeck Abbey, the residence of the Duke of Portland, near Worksop, was partially destroyed by fire this morning. The Duke and the Duchess were not occupying the Abbey. The art collection and other valuables were saved.

MORTON TO SAIL FOR HOME.

Ex-Governor Anticipates an Early Settlement of the Chinese Question.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—Ex-Gov. Levi P. Morton, of New York, who will sail for home on the Hamburg-American liner Deutschland, and not on the Lucania, as previously reported, said in an interview today that he could only speak reservedly of American affairs until his arrival at home.

He anticipated the early settlement of the Chinese question. He thought that the United States Government had acted with discretion throughout the negotiations over the subject.

Mrs. Morton will not accompany her husband, but will remain for a while in Paris.

MISSING GIRL RETURNS.

Her Whereabouts for Three Years Remains a Mystery.

BRIDGETON, N. J., Oct. 5.—Emily Shull, the girl who created a sensation some three years ago by disappearing from her home near Newport, this county, has returned as mysteriously as she went away.

Three years ago this fall Emily Shull left her abiding place and disappeared from public view as if the earth had opened and swallowed her up. Nothing definite had ever been heard of her since, although much had been said about her being seen.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay Lore, the owners of the property, were called upon to reveal her whereabouts during the past three years, but it is believed she has not been very far from Philadelphia.

REALISM IN AN OPERA.

Genuine Bull Fight at a French Production of "Carmen."

BAYONNE, France, Oct. 5.—A sensation was caused here by a realistic performance of the opera of "Carmen" in an actual bull ring with a real fight of an accompaniment, two of the beasts being killed.

Dominguez, a well-known bull fighter, took the part of Escamillo in the arena. After the bull had disposed of the unfortunate horses of the picadores Dominguez tried to give the coup de grace. He bungled, and finally the bull charged him, injuring him so that he had to retire, and Aguilera, who was to take his place, was equally unsuccessful, making three futile attempts.

HAIRSTON FOUND GUILTY.

Voodoo Doctor Pronounced a Fraud of the Worst Type.

"Prof." Prince Albert Hairston, otherwise "Prof." Dolliver, a fraud, was before Judge Kimball in the Police Court, this morning, charged with practicing medicine without a license. The professor is the alleged voodoo doctor and medium arrested on complaint of William Bell, also colored, last night of an accomplice.

Judge Kimball said Hairston was a fraud of the worst type and imposed a fine of \$200 or six months and 29 days in jail absolutely.

Autumn Niagara Falls Excursion.

October 11, Via B. & O. R. R.

Last excursion of the season. Special train of day coaches and parlor without change, leave B. & O. station 8:30 a. m. Stopovers allowed on return trip. Tickets good for ten days. Meals served en route in cafe diner. It's always a beautiful trip through the Leigh Valley, but at this season especially so.

New shingles, largest and best, \$5.75 per size 6x20, guaranteed perfect, at 6th and N. Y. Ave.

THE ANTHRACITE STRIKE

Secret Negotiations Believed to Be in Progress.

Mr. Markle Declines to Reveal the Result of His New York Conference—The Reported Basis of Settlement—Ranks of Miners Steadily Increased by New Recruits.

HAZLETON, Pa., Oct. 5.—The great anthracite strike seems to be no nearer a settlement, as far as anyone knows, than it was a week ago. It is known that negotiations are in progress, despite all of President Mitchell's denials, but with whom and between whom cannot be ascertained. John Markle, of G. E. Markle & Co., who has been in consultation with officials of the carrying companies for the last few days in New York, returned from there last night, but declined to say anything regarding the result of his mission. Frank Pardee, of A. Pardee & Co., who has been with Mr. Markle in New York, was equally reticent.

We are said to be said as to what the basis of settlement will be, it is understood that, if the operators will agree to grant the increase of 10 per cent on a fixed basis, reduce the price of powder, and institute the semi-monthly pay system, the men will return to work. Meanwhile President Mitchell is simply waiting the outcome of the fight between the individual operators and the coal carrying companies. As a matter of fact, Mr. Mitchell cannot do anything until an offer emanating from all the coal carrying companies and operators is made to him.

In the general strike situation in this region there are no notable changes this morning. There are about 1,500 men working out of the 48,000 actually laboring in and about the mines and the collieries are steadily losing. Outside of a little stone-throwing by women sympathizers at Lattimer colliery this morning, there were no disturbances.

In the Lansford district the miners held a meeting last night to discuss the question of striking and voted unanimously to remain at work. The company has notified the men that it would settle any grievances they may have and give them any increase the strikers receive in case a settlement is made. On the other hand, the labor leaders say that the collieries in the Panther Creek Valley will soon be tied up.

A FORGED NOTICE POSTED.

Alleged Bulletin From Mitchell Decried.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 5.—Considerable excitement was caused at Wyoming, near here, this morning, by a notice at the Harry E. Colliery of the Temple Iron and Coal Company, ordering the miners to return to work, and declaring the strike off, signed John Mitchell, President, U. M. W.

Owing to the rumors of a settlement in the air, the notice was at first believed, but some of the clearer-headed strikers enquired at other collieries, finding no such notices posted, concluded it was a forgery. The strikers believe someone posted it as a joke, but say it will be no joke if it is caught.

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RICE'S COUNSEL ARRAIGNED.

New York Lawyer Declares His Arrest an Outrage.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Albert T. Patrick, counsel of the late William M. Rice, the multi-millionaire reclusive, who was arrested last night on a charge of forging Mr. Rice's name to two checks for \$55,000 and \$65,000, respectively, was arraigned this morning in the police court.

Charles F. Jones, Mr. Rice's secretary, accused of complicity with Attorney Patrick, was arraigned at the same time. The two men had spent the night at police headquarters.

Patrick was seen there early this morning by a reporter. He continued to assert that his incarceration was an outrage and said:

"My attorney will see me early today. Habeas corpus proceedings will be instituted at once and I will be out of this before sundown."

The arrests are the outcome of the opening of Millionaire Rice's strong box in the vaults of the Safe Deposit Company of New York at 140 Broadway. This box contained securities and mortgages worth \$1